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Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated August 6, 2002, be extended for one month to and including December 6, 2002.

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Respectfully submitted,

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